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TOPIC Soviet Troop Trains

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DATE PREPARED 24 May 1955

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REMARKS

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CB - converted boxcar
 B - boxcar
 F - flatcar
 SSy) - heavy-duty flatcars
 RRym)

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troop trains

between 16 and 29 April25X1
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<u>Date in April</u>	<u>Composition of Troop Trains</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
16	3 B, 9 F, 7 RRym	Haldensleben	Roederau
17	3 B, 6 RRym	Wolmirstedt	Jena
18	9 CB, 3 B, 9 F	"	"
	7 CB, 1 B, 8 F	"	Weimar
	4 CB, 7 F, 6 RRym	Burg	Haldensleben
19	2 CB, 6 F, 2 RRym	Magdeburg-Brueckfeld	Zeitz
20	4 B, 41 F	Bernburg	Hillersleben
	2 CB, 1 B, 40 F	Rathenow	Haldensleben
23	8 CB, 8 B, 40 F	"	Altengrabow
	4 CB, 7 B, 15 F	Hillersleben	Burg
	8 CB, 6 B, 13 F	Wolmirstedt	Jena
24	6 CB, 34 F, 12 SSy	Brandenburg-Altstadt	Jaevenitz
	5 CB, 41 F, 11 SSy	"	"
	5 CB, 15 F, 13 SSy	Meinsdorf	Forst Zinna
	5 CB, 3 B, 16 F, 8 RRym	Zerbst	Jueterbog

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24	5 CB, 17 F, 20 SSy	Meinsdorf	Forst Zinna
	4 CB, 16 F, 16 SSy	Zerbst	Jueterbog
	10 CB, 1 B, 40 F	Rathenow	Tangerhuetten
	7 CB, 1 B, 36 F	"	"
	7 CB, 1 B, 34 F	"	"
B-3	2 CB, 8 F	Altengrabow	Jaevenitz
	7 CB, 4 B, 26 F	Meinsdorf	Forst Zinna
	4 CB, 5 B, 12 F, 8 RRym	"	"
	8 CB, 4 B, 32 F, 6 RRym	"	"
	6 CB, 13 B, 14 F, 7 RRym	"	"
	8 CB, 6 B, 32 F	Rosslau	Jueterbog- Altes Lager
	1 CB, 33 F	"	"
	8 CB, 9 B, 30 F	Dessau	Jueterbog
	8 CB, 8 B, 34 F	"	"
	8 CB, 8 B, 20 F, 6 RRym	"	"
	6 CB, 8 B, 23 F, 6 RRym	Zerbst	"
	6 CB, 10 B, 20 F	"	"
25	10 CB, 12 B, 30 F	Rathenow-Nord	Altengrabow
	7 CB, 10 B, 33 F	Rathenow	"
	5 CB, 5 B, 49 F	Burg	Mahlwinkel
	6 CB, 5 B, 49 F	"	"
	6 CB, 5 B, 49 F	"	"
26	14 CB, 18 F, 7 RRym	Wolmirstedt	Zeitz
	7 CB, 7 B, 34 F	Rathenow-Nord	Altengrabow
	5 CB, 3 B, 16 F, 8 RRym	Meinsdorf	Forst Zinna
	13 CB, 13 B, 20 F	"	"
	4 CB, 9 B, 17 F, 7 SSy	"	"
	3 CB, 5 B, 4 F, 15 SSy	"	"
	7 CB, 9 B, 36 F	Dessau	"
	3 CB, 8 B, 31 F	"	"
	9 CB, 4 B, 35 F	"	Jueterbog
	3 CB, 35 B, 12 F	"	"
27	7 CB, 19 B, 30 F	Rathenow-Nord	Altengrabow
	3 CB, 27 B, 23 F	"	"
	4 CB, 10 B, 36 F	Dessau	Forst Zinna
	8 CB, 17 B, 15 F	Rosslau	"
	4 CB, 4 B, 42 F	"	Jueterbog
	3 CB, 1 B, 43 F	"	"
	3 CB, 1 B, 42 F	"	"
	3 CB, 5 B, 4 F, 15 SSy	Meinsdorf	"
	3 CB, 5 B, 4 F, 15 SSy	"	"
	2 CB, 3 B, 15 SSy	"	"
	2 CB, 12 B, 12 F, 5 SSy	"	"

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28	4 CB, 15 B, 31 F	Meinsdorf	Jueterbog
	8 CB, 10 B, 33 F	"	"
	5 CB, 12 B, 21 F	"	Forst Zinna
	9 CB, 6 B, 38 F	"	"
	3 CB, 1 B, 42 F	Rosslau	Jueterbog
	5 CB, 12 B, 42 F	"	Forst Zinna
29	5 CB, 8 B, 44 F	Meinsdorf	"
	8 CB, 9 B, 33 F	"	"
	3 CB, 4 B, 43 F	"	"
	1 CB, 27 B, 20 F	"	Jueterbog

1. Comment. The six troop trains carried tank details which returned from Letzling Heath. Most of the trains were previously confirmed.

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2. Comment. Another report indicated that a heavy mortar unit was entrained at Rathenow on 20 April 1955. Haldensleben as receiving station, and the three trains to Tangerhuetten on 24 April 1955 could not be confirmed.

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3. Comment. The six troop trains carried components of the 6th Artv Div.

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4. Comment. Troop trains which were previously reported, observations on the entraining of troops from the barracks installations in Rosslau (3401) and Kochstedt (3241), and the detraining of troops at Jueterbog indicate that the rail movement of the 7th Gds Tk Div totaled 42 troop trains. The present report indicates that the troop trains also belonged to the movement.

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5. Comment. Since they were previously reported to have carried heavy AT guns and 152-mm howitzers, the three troop trains probably belonged to the 304th Arty Brig of the LXXIX Mtz Rifle Corps.

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